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Indochine Chailand

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SUBJECT

Attempt by Wiet Minh to Obtain Tetanus Mico-

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organisms in Bangkok

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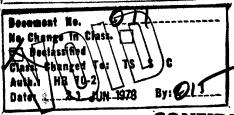
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The Viet Minh in Indochina has requested its representatives in Bangkok 1. to obtain tetanus micro-organisms for cultivation and for the manufacture of anti-tetanus serum.

Viet Minh representatives in Bangkok approached authorities at the Pastour Institute to buy the micro-organisms, but the authorities at the Institute reported the incident to the police. The Thai police have instructed the Institute not to sell the micro-organisms to the Viet Minh and have also est blished a guard at the Institute to protect it from robbery.

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